



The Day of Pentecost: Whitsunday with Holy Baptism and Renewal of Baptismal Vows
May 28, 2023 - 10am

Sunday's Music

ORGAN PRELUDE Song 13 (Orlando Gibbons) from Six Hymn Preludes

Percy Whitlock

CHORAL INTROIT

Come Holy Ghost, eternal God
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Which dost from God proceed:
The Father first, and eke the Son,
One God as we do read.

Thomas Tallis

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "Rejoice in God, O ye Tongues" from *Rejoice in the Lamb*, Op. 30

Benjamin Britten

Rejoice in God, O ye Tongues; give the glory to the Lord, and the Lamb.
Nations, and languages, and every Creature, in which is the breath of Life.

Let man and beast appear before him, and magnify his name together.

Let Nimrod, the mighty hunter, bind a Leopard to the altar, and consecrate his spear to the Lord.

Let Ishmael dedicate a Tyger, and give praise for the liberty in which the Lord has let him at large.

Let Balaam appear with an Ass, and bless the Lord his people and his creatures for a reward eternal.

Let Daniel come forth with a Lion, and praise God with all his might through faith in Christ Jesus.

Let Ithamar minister with a Chamois, and bless the name of Him, that cloatheth the naked.

Let Jakim with the Satyr bless God in the dance.

Let David bless with the Bear—The beginning of victory to the Lord—to the Lord the perfection of excellence—
Hallelujah from the heart of God, and from the hand of the artist inimitable, and from the echo of the heavenly
harp in sweetness magnifical and mighty.

(text from Jubilate Agno by Christopher Smart)



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COMMUNION ANTHEM "For H is a spirit" from *Rejoice in the Lamb*, Op. 30

Benjamin Britten

For H is a spirit and therefore he is God.

For K is king and therefore he is God.

For L is love and therefore he is God.

For M is musick and therefore he is God.

For the instruments are by their rhimes.

For the Shawm rhimes are lawn fawn moon boon and the like.

For the harp rhimes are sing ring string and the like.

For the cymbal rhimes are bell well toll soul and the like.

For the flute rhimes are tooth youth suit mute and the like.

For the Bassoon rhimes are pass class and the like.

For the dulcimer rhimes are grace place beat heat and the like.

For the Clarinet rhimes are clean seen and the like.

For the trumpet rhimes are sound bound soar more and the like.

For the Trumpet of God is a blessed intelligence and so are all the instruments in Heaven.

For God the father Almighty plays upon the Harp of stupendous magnitude and melody.

For at that time malignity ceases and the devils themselves are at peace.

For this time is perceptible to man by a remarkable stillness and serenity of soul.

Hallelujah from the heart of God, and from the hand of the artist inimitable, and from the echo of the heavenly harp in sweetness magnifical and mighty.

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ORGAN POSTLUDE Postlude for a Festival Day

Joel Martinson